Docket No. 273855US40

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masataka ITO, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/621,891 GAU: 2874

FILED: July 16, 2003 EXAMINER: Rhonda S. PEACE

FOR: SIMPLIFIED SEALING OF OPTOELECTRONIC TRANSCEIVER MODULES

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to May 25, 2008 for
filing a response to the Official Action dated: January 25, 2008.
responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.
ne required fee of \$120.00 is being made by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the ttorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> .

Respectfully Submitted,

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